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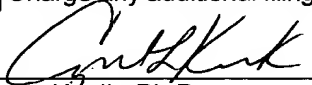
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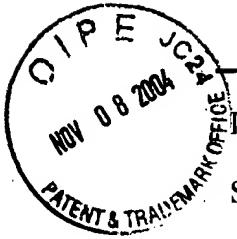
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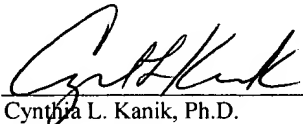
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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed from the United States Patent and Trademark Office on September 2, 2004, for the above referenced patent application.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.